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Bill Reed International Traveling Fellowships

Three fellowships will be awarded this year as follows:

The winner of the Poster Session at the annual meeting of the European Society for Dermatological Research will be awarded \$800.00 to help support a trip to attend the annual meeting of the American Academy of Dermatology.

The winner of the Stelwagon Prize for the best paper presented at the Resident's Forum at the annual American Academy of Dermatology meeting will receive an \$800.00 award to support a trip to Europe where the awardee will present a paper at the annual meeting of the British Association of Dermatologists in England. Further travel to European centers can also be arranged.

A third award of \$800.00 will be given to an academically oriented dermatologist in the *private practice of clinical dermatology*, who has been out of training no more than five years. It is meant to support travel for educational purposes and to broaden contacts with dermatologic investigators. Anyone interested in applying for this award should send their curriculum vitae and a covering letter indicating how they plan to spend the award funds, to the Chairman of the Committee on International Affairs of the A.A.D. at the Academy office, 1567 Maple Avenue, Evanston, Illinois 60201. The deadline for submission is September 1, 1985. Supporting letters from abroad relevant to the planned travel are desirable. The award will be announced in December and will be based on the originality and productivity of the applicant as well as meritoriousness of the travel plans for continued clinical investigation.

In addition, funds are available to aid young investigators travel to another laboratory to undertake a specific, collaborative project of one to three months. For particulars contact William L. Epstein, M.D., Department of Dermatology, University of California, San Francisco, California 94143.

Research Fellowship In Psoriasis

A fellowship in the amount of \$18,000 for psoriasis research is available from the National Psoriasis Foundation.

Candidates must have a M.D. or Ph.D. degree or equivalent and should be no more than four years beyond the completion of their training.

The application deadline is September, 1985. Funding is available in January, 1986.

Application forms and information about the fellowship can be obtained by writing: Chairman, Medical & Scientific Committee, Dermatology Foundation, 8209 Davis Street, Evanston, Illinois 60201, or call (312) 328-2256.

LASER UPDATE will present a comprehensive scope of laser basics, current clinical applications, and clinical research updates in Gynecology, Plastic Surgery, and Dermatology concurrently. The course, sponsored by the Beckman Laser Institute & Medical Clinic, University of California, Irvine, will be held at the University September 12 and 13, 1985. CME credit will be given.

For information please contact: Ann Siemens, Course Coordinator, 391 Steinhaus Hall, University of California, Irvine, California 92717; telephone—(714) 856-7033 or 6291.

"The Skin From A To Z", a program sponsored by the Extended Programs In Medical Education, University of California, San Francisco, will be held September 28 and 29, 1985 in Napa Valley, California.

For registration information please call: (415) 666-5808; for program information please call: (415) 666-4251.

The 35th Annual Symposium on the Biology of Skin will treat the subject "Genodermatoses and Antenatal Diagnosis" October 6-10, 1985 at Salishan Lodge, Gleneden Beach, Oregon. Organizers of the Symposium are Karen Holbrook (University of Washington, Seattle, Washington), Tobias Gedde-Dahl (Oslo, Norway), Eugene Bauer, (Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri), and Ingrid Anton-Lamprecht (Heidelberg, West Germany). Participants who wish to attend the meeting should write Kirk D. Wuepper, M.D., The Cutaneous Biology Foundation, Inc., 254 SW Cervantes, P.O. Box 1592, Lake Oswego, Oregon 97034.

The 13th Pediatric Dermatology Seminar will be held at the Eden Roc Hotel, Miami Beach, Florida, February 20-23, 1986. Guest speakers will include: Raymond Caputo, Andre Nahmias, Sheldon Pollack, Ginter Kahn, Murray Feingold, Kenneth Greer, Christopher Vickers, etc.

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